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Mr. Norman Pelletier  
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**CERTIFIED MAIL (7099 3400 0003 0687 2226)**  
**RETURN-RECEIPT REQUESTED**  
  
**LETTER OF DEFICIENCY**  
**ARD No. 2002-002**

Dear Mr. Pelletier:

On May 11, 2001, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Air Resources Division ("DES") conducted a compliance inspection at Mount Washington Hotel and Resort ("Mount Washington Hotel") located on Route 302 in Bretton Woods, NH. The purpose of the inspection was to determine Mount Washington Hotel's compliance status with State Operating Permit PO-B-1725, Temporary Permit TP-B-0467, and the NH Administrative Rules Env-A 100 *et seq.*

As a result of the inspection and file review, this Letter of Deficiency ("LOD") is being sent to identify the following deficiencies:

- Env-A 907.01 requires the Mount Washington Hotel to submit an annual emissions report to DES. The report must include the actual emissions of the boilers and the methods used in calculating such emissions, and all of the information in accordance with Env-A 903.03. Env-A 907.01(c) (effective 4/23/99) requires, beginning with calendar year 1999, that the annual emissions report shall be submitted to DES by April 15 for the previous calendar years emissions. Mount Washington Hotel has not submitted any emission reports for calendar years 2000 and 2001.
2. Temporary Permit TP-B-0467 (issued January 18, 2000) and Permit PO-B-1725 (issued April 26, 1996) require the Mount Washington Hotel to maintain monthly records of the total fuel consumed, as follows:
    - a) Condition IX. B. 2. of Temporary Permit TP-B-0467 (valid until July 31, 2001) required Mount Washington Hotel to submit to DES and to the EPA quarterly reports of monthly fuel usage in the Hurst boiler; and
    - b) Condition F. 2. of Permit No. PO-B-1725 (valid until September 30, 2000) required Mount Washington Hotel to submit to DES and to the EPA the total gallons of #6 fuel oil consumed in the Superior boiler for each calendar month in the quarter reported.

Please be advised that DES will continue to monitor Mount Washington Hotel's compliance status and that this letter does not provide relief against any other existing or future violations. It is important that Mount Washington Hotel be aware of all the requirements stipulated in its Permit. Please feel free to contact DES should you have any questions regarding compliance with the NH Code of Administrative Rules Env-A 100 *et seq.* and the requirements of the Permit. A current copy of the Air Resources Division rules can be obtained from the DES website at [www.des.state.nh.us/ard/ardrules.htm](http://www.des.state.nh.us/ard/ardrules.htm), or by contacting the Public Information Center at (603) 271-2975. If you have any questions regarding this matter, or require further information please contact Joseph Ritz at (603) 271-1391 or Mary Ruel at (603) 271-6795.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink is written over the word "COPY". The signature appears to be "P. Monroe".

Pamela G. Monroe  
Compliance Bureau Administrator  
Air Resources Division

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